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**REPLY TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

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Madam:

Responsive to the January 7, 2009 Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, attached hereto is a corrected version of the "claims" section of the Non-Final Amendment submitted on October 17, 2008.

The present submission is being timely filed within thirty (30) days of the mailing date of the Notice. Accordingly, no extension of time fees should be due.